

in hereby acknowledged they the said John Hay &c have granted
bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the
said John Thomas Blow and to his heirs forever the above mentioned tract
of land containing thirteen hundred acres or thereabouts to have and to hold
to the said John Thomas Blow and his heirs the above granted premises
with the appurtenances to the only proper use and behoof of him the said
John Thomas Blow his heirs and assigns forever and the said John Hay &c
for themselves and their heirs the above granted premises with the ap-
purtenances unto the said John Thomas Blow and his heirs against the
claim and demands of then the said John Hay &c and all persons claiming
or demanding under them shall and will warrant and forever defend by
these presents in witness whereof the said John Hay &c have hereunto set
their hands and seals the Day and Year first above written

Sealed and delivered
in presents of

John Hay &c

At a court held for the county of Southampton the 6th Day of January
1770 this Indenture was acknowledged by the above named John Hay
&c and ordered to be recorded

Sam^l H. H. H.

Johnson
to
Johnson
D^o by
John Carr
Sampson
Dec 1774

This Indenture made this first day of January in the Year
of our lord Christ one thousand seven hundred & seventy eight between
Matthew Johnson & Mary his wife of the County of Southampton parish
notaway of the one part and Hardy Johnson of the county and parish afore-
said of the other part Witnesseth That the said Matthew Johnson and
Mary Johnson his wife for and in consideration of the full and just sum of
One hundred and ninety pounds Current Money of Virginia by the said
Hardy Johnson to them in hand paid the receipt whereof the said Matthew
Johnson and Mary his wife doth hereby acknowledge and thereof acquit
and discharge the said Hardy Johnson his heirs executors administrators
and assigns forever and themselves therewith fully and intirely satisfied
contented and paid They the said Matthew Johnson and Mary his wife
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and confirmed and by these presents Doth Grant bargain sell Release
setover deliver and confirm unto the said Hardy Johnson and to his heirs
and assigns forever all them plantations messuages tracts and parcels of
land now in the possession and ^{possession} of him the said Matthew Johnson
situate lying and being in the county of Southampton parish of
Notaway aforesaid one on each side of Notaway swamp both containing
two hundred twenty and five acres more or less and being the plantation
and lands whereon the said Matthew Johnson now lives which was given
him by his father Stephen Johnson who purchased the same of Solomon
Thomas by indenture recorded in the County Court of Islopurg the twenty
sixth of November one thousand seven hundred and forty four containing
by estimation one hundred twenty and five acres and bounded according to

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